

**State Major Donor Committees  
State Independent Expenditure Committees (Non-Recipient)  
November 7, 2006 Election Filing Schedule**

<i>Filing Deadline</i>	<i>Type of Statement</i>	<i>Period Covered by Statement<sup>1/</sup></i>	<i>Method of Delivery</i>
July 31, 2006	Semi-Annual	<sup>1/</sup> – 6/30/06	✧ Personal Delivery <sup>2</sup> ✧ First Class Mail
Within 24 Hours	Special Online Independent Expenditure Report <sup>3/</sup>	8/9/06 – 11/7/06	✧ Online or Electronically with Secretary of State
Within 48 Hours	Issue Advocacy Disclosure Statement <sup>4/</sup>	9/23/06 – 11/6/06	✧ Online or Electronically with Secretary of State
Within 24 Hours	If You Make a Late Contribution or Late Independent Expenditure of \$1,000 or More <sup>5/</sup>	10/22/06 – 11/6/06	✧ Personal Delivery ✧ Guaranteed Overnight Service ✧ Fax
January 31, 2007	Semi-Annual <sup>6/</sup>	<sup>1/</sup> – 12/31/06	✧ Personal Delivery ✧ First Class Mail

**Footnotes:**

- <sup>1/</sup> The period covered by any statement begins on the day after the closing date of the last statement filed, or January 1, if no previous statement has been filed.
- <sup>2/</sup> In addition to paper reports, a state major donor or independent expenditure committee must file electronically if the committee makes contributions or expenditures totaling \$50,000 or more in a calendar year. For more information, visit the Secretary of State's web site at [www.ss.ca.gov](http://www.ss.ca.gov).
- <sup>3/</sup> This report is required if a committee required to file electronically with the Secretary of State (see footnote 2) makes an independent expenditure of \$1,000 or more in connection with a state candidate or a state ballot measure being voted on November 7, 2006. No paper copy is required, and no copies are required to be filed with local filing officers.
- <sup>4/</sup> A committee that makes a payment or a promise of payment of \$50,000 or more for a communication that clearly identifies a state candidate being voted on November 7, but does not expressly advocate the election or defeat of the candidate, must file Form E530 electronically with the Secretary of State. The report must be filed within 48 hours of the making or the promise to make the payment. No paper copy is required.
- <sup>5/</sup> Committees filing the special online independent expenditure reports (see footnote 3) are not required to file paper copies of late independent expenditure reports during the late reporting period. Paper copies of late contribution reports are still required, including with local filing officers.
- <sup>6/</sup> Once qualified as a committee, a major donor or independent expenditure committee must file the semi-annual statement due January 31, 2007, if **any** contributions or independent expenditures are made during the period July 1 through December 31, 2006.

**Additional Notes:**

- There is no provision in the law for extending a filing deadline. Late statements are subject to a \$10 per day late fine.
- All statements are public documents.
- If independent expenditures totaling \$1,000 or more in a calendar year are made to support or oppose a single candidate, a single measure, or the qualification of a single measure, contact the FPPC for additional filing requirements.
- State candidates and committees are subject to contribution limits. Some committees that feature state candidates in advertisements are also subject to contribution limits.

As of the date of this publication (5/05), the 2005 Campaign Manual Addendum contains the most recent information on campaign disclosure requirements. Legislative amendments to the Political Reform Act may go into effect that will change information contained in the 2005 Addendum and this filing schedule. Be sure to check the FPPC web site ([www.fppc.ca.gov](http://www.fppc.ca.gov)) for updated information.